

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRISRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) Under-development and lack of socio-economic justice are among the main factors that give rise to the spread of naxalism in some parts of the country.

(b) to (d) The Government have been pursuing a twin approach to address the menace of naxalism: to take effective and sustained police action against naxal groups and their infrastructure and to ensure accelerated socio-economic development in the naxal affected areas. The naxal affected States have been asked to set up special delivery mechanisms and encourage people centric development programmes in the affected areas.

Bangladesh based terrorist organisations in NE

†794. SHRI RAJ MOHINDER SINGH MAJITHA:
SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received any information that Bangladesh based terrorist organisations are operating terrorist activities in the North-Eastern States of the country;

(b) if so, the fact in this regard; and

(c) the names of such Bangladesh terrorist organisations?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGUPATHY): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) In view of (a) above, does not arise.

Seizure of drugs in Delhi

†795. SHRI DHARAM PAL SABHARWAL: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the drugs worth crores were seized in August, 2006 in Delhi; and

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(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGUPATHY): (a) and (b) During the month of August, 2006, the Drug Law Enforcement Agencies have seized following quantities of drugs in Delhi.

Name of the Drug	Qty.(in kg.)
Heroin	46258
Opium	8.490
Cannabis Herb	288.450
Hashish/Charas	8.300
Methaqualone	4400.000
Ephedrine	100.000

Naxal attack at Dantewada in Chhattisgarh

†796. SHRI DHARAM PAL SABHARWAL: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that several villagers were killed while several others were kidnapped in naxalite attack in the relief camp at Dantewada in Chhattisgarh in July, 2006; and

(b) if so, the reaction of the Central Government thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) Naxalites attacked a relief camp in Errabore PS of Dantewada district in Chhattisgarh on 17.7.2006. In this incident, 33 persons (including 6 persons out of 47 persons kidnapped by the naxalites) were killed.

(b) The Government of Chhattisgarh was requested to strengthen the security of the relief camps and to take necessary measures to check recurrence of such incidents in the future.

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